

### **Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment**

The reply filed 4 February 2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The applicant has not fully responded to the rejections set forth in the previous office action. More specifically, Applicant has not responded to the 35 U.S.C. 112 2<sup>nd</sup> Rejections of claims 11, 20, and 31. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be a *bona fide* attempt, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission(s) or correction(s) in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jerry Dennison whose telephone number is (571)272-3910. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 8:30am-5pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Nathan Flynn can be reached on (571) 272-1915. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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